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Antiquities and Treasure Trove Act

Revised 2002

Act to provide for the control and preservation of ancient historical monuments, archaeological sites and remains and antiquities; to regulate the law relating to treasure trove; and for matters connected therewith

Act

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Law on customs	2007	Act to provide for the control and preservation of ancient historical monuments, archaeological sites and remains and antiquities; to regulate the law relating to treasure trove; and for matters connected therewith	Act	O	Royal Government
Royal Decree Establishing the Supreme Council on National Culture	1995	Established the Supreme Council on National Culture, set out the composition and the purpose of the Council	Royal Decree	O	Royal Government
Royal Decree 0196/26 concerning the Law on the protection of Cultural Heritage	1996	Cultural Immovable Heritage Cultural Movable Heritage - Cultural Property Intangible Cultural Heritage	Royal Decree	O	Royal Government
Kram Dated January 25, 1996 on the Protection of Cultural Heritage	1996	To protect national cultural heritage and cultural property in general against illegal destruction, modification, alteration, excavation, alienation, exportation or importation.	Law	O	Royal Government, Ministry of Culture and Fine Arts & Ministry of Land Use Planning, Urbanization and Construction
Subdecree Respecting Implementation of Cultural Heritage Protection	2002	The purport of this subdecree is implementation of cultural heritage protection through definition of cultural property and archaeological excavations. It is to regulate the trade in cultural property and control the exporting and importing of cultural property.	Subdecree	O	Royal Government
Pentagonal Strategy - Phase I	2023	Pentagonal Strategy - Phase I for Growth, Employment, Equity, Efficiency, and Sustainability: Building the Foundation Towards Realizing the Cambodia Vision 2050	Strategic Policy	O	Royal Government

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Compilation of law and regulation of the Republic of Indonesia concerning items of cultural property	2003	Compilation of laws concerning items of cultural property	Publication	N/A	Ministry of Culture and Tourism
Ministerial Regulation of No. 48 of 2009 on Guidelines for Management of Underwater Heritage Culture and Tourism	2009	Law relating to exportation, good faith acquisition, illicit trafficking, importation, maintenance, promotion and development of protected areas or goods	X	O	Ministry
Law of the Republic of Indonesia Number 11 of 2010 Concerning Cultural Conservation	2010	Law relating to the exportation, illicit trafficking, importation, inventory, registry promotion and development of movable and immovable cultural heritage and natural heritage	Law	N/A	Legislative



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Promulgation on the Law of National Heritage


2005

Law on National Heritage determines the principles, regulations and measures for the administration, use, protection, conservation, restoration and rehabilitation of national heritage, as well as determines the rights and duties of the State, organisations and individuals.

Decree and Law

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Government

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Laws of Malaysia: Antiquities Act N.168	1976	Determines laws pertaining to the discovery of antiquities, excavations, ancient monuments and historical sites, archeological reserves, export of antiquities and historical objects, and penalties	Law	O	Legislative
National Heritage Act 2005	2005	An Act to provide for the conservation and preservation of National Heritage, natural heritage, tangible and intangible cultural heritage, underwater cultural heritage, treasure trove and for related matters.	Law	O	Legislative



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The Protection and Preservation of Antique Objects Law (The Pyidaungsu Hluttaw Law No. 43, 2015)

2015

Provides a definition of antique objects, coverage of protection and preservation

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Pyidaungsu Hluttaw

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National Cultural Heritage Act (Republic Act No.10066)	2009	Created the Philippine Registry of Cultural Property (PRECUP) and took other steps to preserve historic buildings that are over 50 years old	Republic Act	O	The Government of the Republic of the Philippines
Article 14 of the 1987 Constitution	1987	Article in the 1987 Constitution detailing the role of State in fostering the preservation and enrichment of the arts and culture	Article	O	The Government of the Republic of the Philippines
National Museum Act	1998	Law stating the National Museum to be converted into a trust of the government	Republic Act	O	The Government of the Republic of the Philippines
Cultural Properties Preservation and Protection Act (Republic Act No. 4846)	1966	Known as the "Cultural Properties Preservation and Protection Act." Which is declared to be the policy of the state to preserve and protect the cultural properties of the nation and to safeguard their intrinsic value.	Republic Act	O	Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled
Presidential Decree No. 374	1974	Amending certain sections of R.A. 4846, otherwise known as the "The Cultural Properties Preservation and Protection Act	Presidential Decree	O	Office of the President of the Republic of the Philippines

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1994

An Act to establish the National Heritage Board and to govern matters associated with it.

Statute

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Republic of Singapore

Preservation of Monuments Act

1970 (Original)

2009 - 2020
(Revised Edition)

Status: In-force

An Act to provide for the preservation and protection of national monuments by the National Heritage Board and for matters associated with this.

Statute

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Republic of Singapore



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Act on ancient monuments, antiquities, objects of art and national museums B.R.2504

1961

Act determining regulations related to exploration license, exportation, illicit trafficking, importation inventory, registry maintenance, promotion and development, protected area or good

Act

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Law on Cultural Heritage	2024	Law defining intangible and tangible cultural heritage, historical cultural sites, scenic landscapes, relics, antiquities, copies of relics, antiquities or national treasures	Law	O	National Assembly
National Target Programme on Development of Vietnamese Culture for 2025-2035	2024	The program aims to foster cultural growth aligned with modern values while preserving traditional heritage by focusing on cultural heritage preservation, infrastructure development, awareness raising, and digital transformation.	Programme	O	National Assembly